December 13, 2007

LARUE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING REPORT

A local/state public hearing was held at the LaRue County Board of Education on December 13, 2007, at 5:30 p.m. (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the LaRue County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 12-0 in favor of the proposed new plan and the local board voted 5-0 to approve the new plan.

There were (3) three individuals in attendance. Sam Sanders, Superintendent, served as the district-appointed hearing officer. Penny Van Dyke, Donna Miles and Anna Brown were present.

COMMENTS

Mr. Sanders called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan that includes: additions to the LaRue County High School, renovations at the LaRue County Middle School, and renovation of the central office.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. Penny Van Dyke, Donna Miles, and Anna Brown each commented that they thought the middle school heating and cooling was needed, but felt the athletic improvements were not needed.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the LaRue County Local Planning Committee and adopted by the LaRue County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the LaRue County School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted, Reviewed by;

Sam Sanders, Hearing Officer Timothy K. Lucas, KDE Fac. Mgmt.

cc: Mark W. Ryles, Director Att: LaRue Co. School District Facility Plan

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